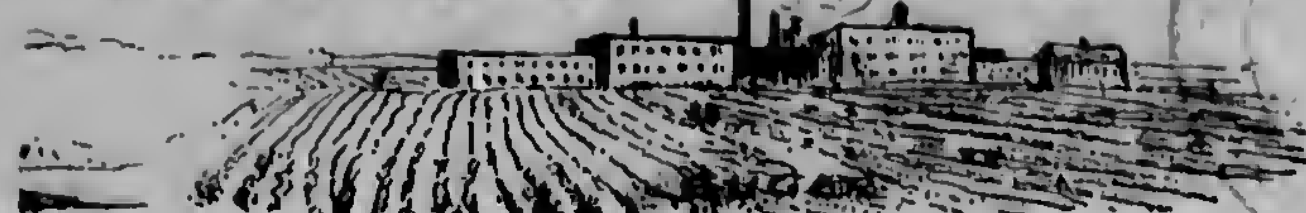


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## Victory Loan Rally Monday

### Youth Training Course Decidedly Practical

Tuesday afternoon we took a few minutes off to visit the classes of the Youth Training School, while they were in session. We have always been impressed with the practical nature of these schools, and we feel sure that if more people would make it their business to visit these schools, they too would be impressed with their practical value to those attending the course.

We visited one group of boys in session over a John Deere Tractor that they had dismantled, overhauled and put together again, as part of their work. The machine belongs to Geo. Heggie. The owner buys the needed repairs, determined after the engine is taken down, then the implement Company furnish an expert mechanic to super-visit the re-assembly of the engine and test it out. John Deere officials here were Messrs Strone and Jess, blockman and mechanic. The local John Deere Agency is operated by J. L. Anderson and Carl Wilde. In the J. I. Case agency, operated by L. D. Byrne, the boys were busy taking down a Case tractor, the property of S. B. Card. When taken down and checked, repairs will be paid for by the owner, and under the eagle eye of Mr. Payne, mechanic de luxe, the tractor will be put together again and ready for work in the field. Accompanying Mr. Payne and blockman for this territory for J. I. Case, was Mr. LaValley.

From here we visited the 2nd Ward Church where the girl's class was in session. We are unable to do justice to the various forms of sewing, knitting, weaving and rug making taking place here. But, all the girls were busy some making pillow covers some sewing on dresses, some weaving scarfs, bugs, etc., and several working on rugs, some made from dyed burlap, cut in strips and sewed on a canvass back, and others making silk rugs from old stockings and other articles of silk. The weaving offers no end of variety for color combinations and types of work to those who learn how to use the loom.

Lastly we visited the kitchen. Dinner is served daily to from fifteen to twenty here, but this department is not used as extensively here as in most schools because most of the students at tending have all their meals at home. However, there is a home economics teacher on the staff, and cooking is part of the course for the fair sex. A class was in session making cakes, and goodies for the afternoon today when the public is invited to view the display of all the students work.

Wm. Anderson, supervisor of the school here, informed us that in some schools from forty to sixty students eat regularly in the school kitchen. To pay for their meals they are permitted to pay cash at the rate of \$3.50 per week, or they can bring any produce usable in the kitchen, and receive credit for this at full market price.

Whenever you can visit one of these schools, make it a point to do so and get acquainted with the fine men and women who make up the staff.

### GIVE US THEIR NAMES

We are trying to get a COMPLETE list of all the men from Raymond and district in the service of their country, either in reserve or active units. Give us the names and branch of service, Infantry, Artillery, Medical corps, signals, Service Corps, Navy, Air Force or what, and we will try and get a complete list compiled to print in the columns of the paper for the information of all of us.

### NEWS NOTES

Ken Hauge left for the east this week and is in the Army Postal Corps in Eastern Canada now.

Lee Brewerton was in Lethbridge Tuesday afternoon on business in connection with the Victory Loan drive.

A lovely wet snow fell Wednesday, quite a bit of it melting as it fell. More came Thursday and was very welcome as we have had a very dry winter. Roads Wednesday night and Thursday were very slippery and dangerous.

Will Stone has accepted the leadership of the Lethbridge Male Voice Choir and goes to the city each Monday night to practice with them. Terry Horne has been in charge of the group, but has resigned because of ill health and Will has taken the position. We congratulate Will on his appointment the singers on their choice.

### Seventy's Social Greatly Enjoyed

Members and their partners of the 145 Quorum of Seventy, met at the Stake House Friday night last, and enjoyed a social evening of program, dancing and refreshments.

Harry Fairbanks as Committee Chairman and Master of Ceremonies, announced the following program:

Community singing, followed by prayer by John L. Allen. A brief welcome by the Chairman, followed by a talk on "Responsibilities of a Seventy" by J. B. Roberts, Senior President of the Quorum.

Vocal duette by Farrel Nelson and his sisters of Stirling.

Reading "At the Football Game" by Amy Allen.

Vocal duette—Mesdames Scott Salmon and Paul Dahl.

Speech—Ronda Dahl.

Vocal Solo—H. Myron Holmes.

Vocal Solo—Mrs. Wilfred Van Orman.

Dancing was then enjoyed for an hour, a number of mixers being introduced to get the gathering mixed up and well acquainted. Pie ala mode was then served, everyone having all they could eat, & then dancing was enjoyed again for a while.

Learn a little more of the valuable, practical and timely work taken up in these schools.

Hear ye, Hear ye, large and small, hear ye all. The second victory loan campaign will be launched locally at a mammoth rally Monday afternoon, Feb. 16th which will commence at 2 p.m. sharp. Here is an outline of what will take place.

Upon the request of the Mayor all business in the Town will be suspended from 1 p.m. until the Opera House program is finished. Schools will be closed for the afternoon.

Both schools will parade to the Cenotaph, where a Victory Loan message will be delivered, after which a short Band Concert will be provided by the Raymond High School Band.

Following this the crowd will adjourn to the Opera House, where a public program will be given headlined by Miss Evelyn Dismoor, California's "Miss Sunshine" a story of whom appears elsewhere in this issue.

16 other artists will appear on the program, among whom are members of the No. 8 Bombing and Gunnery School who have made their services available for this tour. Following is a little information on some of these performers.

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I might tell you that this chuo Razella is positively outstanding on the accordian and I doubt if you have ever had any thing in your City to better him.

The quartet is practising hard and will be excellent entertainment while Mr. Pryor on the piano is certainly 50 p.c. better than average.

The comedy skits and additional musical numbers will all be good and I am quite contented in advising you that they will go a long way to making the whole program most enjoyable.

This program will last two hours, after which the artists, taking part will be the guests of the Board of Trade at a supper, prior to their proceeding on to Milk River for an evening performance. EVERYONE is invited and should make it a point to attend this afternoon program.

### Calgary Admen Top Union Jacks 44-42

The Calgary "Admen" a basketball team sponsored by Alderman Reg. Smith of Calgary, and containing three or four former University of Alberta stars, and three Raymond and one Cardston player, came to Raymond last Saturday night and hung the Jacks on the short end of a 44-42 score after two five minute overtime periods to break tie scores at the end of regulation time and again at the end of the first five minute overtime period.

We don't need to say the game was interesting, the score proves that. Only a small sized crowd was on hand to witness it and the rest of us missed possibly the most evenly fought game we will have the chance to see this winter. Raymond missed Butler Nalder, who was in Calgary and Donny was only able to play a very little while, and this, while it weakened the home team added to the interest of the game as the play was so even. Turner for Raymond, and Rex Ehlert, former Raymond-

ite and now with the Dental corps in Calgary topped the point getters with 14 each.

West for Jacks and Webber for Admen were next with an even dozen each.

Following are the lineups and score.

Admen: Pitcher, 1; Webber, 12; Spaulier, 6; Eberhart, 5; Dixon, 6; Selman; Wood; Ehlert 14. Total 41.

Jacks: Stone, 8; West, 12; Turner, 14; Holtsan, 5; Nilsson, 3; Haggie, Total 42.

Wilson Rolfsen had charge of the game.

### Letters From The Boys

Raymond Recorder

Raymond

Please thank the local Red Cross for my Christmas box and all those who helped make them possible.

I am enjoying myself here waiting for the time when I will have real work to do.

Yours Sincerely  
L. Cpl. Sydney Romeril, M60010  
Somewhere in England

Stratford Ontario.

Dec. 27th, '41

Dear Mrs. Nilsson:

Herewith I wish to convey my heartiest thanks for the sweater you knitted for me. No need to tell you that it is very much appreciated also the rest of the parcel and I hope that you will convey my thanks to everyone who has donated to it.

Marg. and the baby are both going well, although she doesn't feel quite at home in the East yet. We are both hoping that the war will soon be over and that we'll be back home in the West again.

Yours sincerely,  
H. J. Scherles.

### Funeral Services For Charles Walker

### 15 Car Train To Show Canada Her War Effort

### TOOLS OF ARMY TO BE EXHIBITED IN TOUR OF DOMINION

Ottawa, Ont. — Canadians whose savings have been invested in victory through the various war savings and loan campaigns are to have a chance to see what their money buys when, during the next few weeks, a 15 car train tours the country from coast to coast showing "the tools with which Canadian soldiers will help to finish the job."

Every arm and service of the Canadian army will be represented in a travelling exhibition scheduled to leave Ottawa on February 4th.

Weapons, from rifles and bayonets up to a tank, will be part of the exhibit and some of the vehicles—carried on flat cars to which a ramp has been specially fitted—will be driven through the streets at points where the train stops long enough to permit of unloading.

The train has been specially painted each car bearing the name of the train—"The Canadian Army Train." The color scheme is based upon the colors of four overseas divisions, blue, red, French grey and maroon.

It is understood Ontario and Quebec will be the first to view the train which is scheduled to stop for periods ranging from three hours to one day, according to the population of the area visited. One car, consisting of four booths, is devoted to Red Cross (blood donors) victory loan and munitions and supply.

Regular army rations will be prepared on the train for the six officers and 60 men who will accompany the travelling exhibit and the daily ration will form part of the R. C. A. S. C. exhibit.

Details of the itinerary will be announced next week. — Leth. Herald.

### Very Enjoyable Party

About 200 people gathered in the Opera House on Monday night last and enjoyed a most enjoyable evening of dancing, movies, program and refreshments. Sponsored by the Vets, Lions and Rotarians, with their ladies & a few invited guests as participants the group was entertained from 8:30 p.m. until 1 a.m.

Movies of the Royal visit to Calgary and views along the Lake Louise and Yoho Valley Trails were shown by Bob Farnsett and local views especially of parades and Stampedes pictures were shown by Geo. Brewerton. Dancing was then enjoyed until 11 o'clock when a plate lunch of sandwiches, pickles, punch, ice cream and cake was served.

While lunch was being eaten

Funeral services over the remains of Charles Walker, who passed away Thursday morning of last week, were held in the 2nd Ward Chapel Sunday afternoon at 2 p.m. The Rev. H. P. Marston, United Church Minister was in charge and the singing was by the 2nd Ward Choir directed by Jos. McLean, with Mrs. Emma Dahl at the piano.

Jas. H. Walker, M.L.A. was the first speaker, and paid tribute to the faithfulness of deceased to any responsibility he assumed. He spoke of his work at the Town Hall in taking care of the grounds, and of how nice he kept them looking. Deceased was an unmarried man, and had no relatives known except a sister living in England.

Rev. Marston read the 23rd Psalm "The Lord is My Shepherd" and spoke briefly from this text.

Hymns by the Choir were: "Abide With Me," "Rock of Ages" and "Nearer My God to Thee." Tommy Roberts sang: "While I Pray" and Jos. McLean sang "Let Each man Learn to Know Himself."

E. H. Wagstaff, Pres. of the local Legion, thanked everyone who had assisted in any way in the last rites for their friend and comrade, who was a veteran of the last war.

The flag draped casket was carried into the Church by Frank R. Taylor, John Landysheff, Lee Brewerton, Arthur Pope, I. Kitchen and R. F. Walsh. All returned men and the rest of the Veterans formed a guard of honor on both sides of the walk as the remains were carried in and out of the Church. A large cortege followed the remains to the local cemetery where interment was made with Christensen Bros. in charge.

### NEWS NOTES

Bob Jewel, cashier at the Treasury Branch left Friday night last for Calgary and will go from there to Hanna, where he has been transferred. His place is being taken here by Knowlton Kearl, who has been transferred from Cardston, and who will move his family here as soon as he can find a house.

Speakers at the 2nd Ward Sunday evening last were Elders Howard Melchin, Harold Eveson and Bryant Heninger. C. F. Tollestrup played some piano numbers and spoke on some of the world's famous composers and the Choir sang as a special number "O Divine Redeemer."

Miss Kay Brewerton entertained with toe dances and she replied to three encores with her splendid numbers, accompanied by Mrs. Thelma Smith on the piano. Tom Roberts contributed vocal solos to this part of the program.

Dancing was enjoyed again until early morning. During the evening a couple of sessions of community singing was enjoyed, led by Jos. McLean, with Mrs. Emma Dahl at the piano. Every one seemed to think that another similar party should be held before summer comes, and everyone gets so busy.

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### CONFIDENCE

One of the greatest things in the world is confidence. Try and imagine a world in which confidence was not a cardinal virtue. Imagine yourself being without confidence in your family, your church, your storekeeper, your doctor, your government, and so on. Could we even imagine such a situation.

Today, more than ever, we need confidence. Our Governments, national and international, are facing grave crises every day. Our men in the various arms of the service are facing death every hour of the day for us. Have we confidence in them? Do we feel safe at night because of the confidence we have in our fellow men in the front lines of service. Have we confidence enough in our leaders in Church and State to support them? The majority of us have, that we know. Those of us who may lack confidence, owe it to those leaders to build up our confidence and manifest the same. The strongest leader in any cause is the man who feels he has the confidence of those whom he tries to lead. Surely, we owe this much to the men who are giving us so much.

There is so much in life that depends on confidence in each other. We buy our food, clothing, in fact everything we buy on confidence in our storekeeper and his clerks. When we are ill we call the Doctor, and we take his medicine on confidence. So many instances could be cited of our absolute living by confidence that it is probably a waste of time to mention it, and yet our confidence in our fighting men, in our leaders and in our fellow men mean so much, that we should cherish and increase it.

### SINGAPORE

(Editorial from the New York Times Jan. 9th, 1942)

In using the familiar decoy of false reports to obtain information regarding the movements of the Pacific fleet, the Japanese at least admit that the vessels they claim to have attacked off the Australian coast were not sunk at Pearl Harbor, as they originally boasted. Evidently Tokyo is concerned about the whereabouts of American men-of-war at large in the Pacific, and the immediate reason for this anxiety is easy to guess. The Japanese are in a hurry. They are reinforcing their efforts to deliver a knock-out blow to the stubborn defenders of the Philippines in order to concentrate all their strength on the many-pronged costly, but unrelenting drive down the Malay peninsula. The first act of the great drama in the South Seas is reaching the climax. At the beginning of the second month, it is clearer than ever that Japan's savage battle is not only for Asia but for Oceania, and that its focus is the key island of Singapore.

Singapore is the core of the British defense system in the Far East, the northern outpost for the defense of Australia and the eastern outpost for the defense of India. If it fell into the hands of the enemy, the Indies would be in danger of invasion and the British and American Navies would lose an operating base that has been strengthened above all others in the Pacific area. This stronghold is the chief goal of Japanese aggression, and the invaders are edging closer to it every day. They are desperately anxious to know to what extent the British sea and air power at Singapore is reinforced by American warships, and this concern may be more significant than Major Atlee's rather pessimistic speech in the House of Commons yesterday or the fact that General Wavell has established the general headquarters of the Pacific War not at Singapore but on the island of Java. It indicates that the Japanese are afraid of the resistance they will certainly meet at the end of the Malay drive.

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Ellsworth Scoville of the R. C. N. R. returned Monday to his ship on the Pacific Coast after a short leave here.

### WE CAN'T RATION TANKS

You cannot ration a tank, if you want to win the war. Nor can you ration a battleship, a machine gun, a piece of artillery or a soldier's rifle.

A silly statement? Not at all!

Every citizen who buys fewer Victory Bonds than his resources permit is actually rationing his share of the amount of ammunition which tanks, guns and planes may hurl at Germans, Italians and Japs.

Donald Cameron, Director of Extension Work for the University of Alberta was a Raymond visitor the first part of the week, visiting the Youth Training School.

### Evelyn Dinsmoor "Miss Sunshine"



Evelyn Dinsmoor, "Miss Sunshine," straight from the winter Sun Festival of Southern California, will do her bit in Alberta to assist Canada's Second Victory Loan. Arriving by Western Airlines' plane in Lethbridge on Friday next, pretty Evelyn Dinsmoor, Flag Waver and Drum Majorette of the Rainbow Corp, famed Long Beach, California contingent of 26 picked beauties, is slated to appear throughout Southern Alberta during the first week of Canada's Second Victory Loan Campaign.

Just 18 years old, Evelyn is noted for her radio singing. Her headline appearance at Victory Loan rallies in Southern Alberta towns will include group singing, dancing and twirling of specially designed flag.

The Flag will symbolize the unity of Canada and the United States. On one side the R.C.A.F. wings will appear on a back ground displaying the United States Army Air Corp Wings. The whole trip will appear in the Cities of Lethbridge, Macleod, Claresholm, Blairmore, Coleman, Cardston, Milk River and Raymond, where large Victory Loan rallies are being arranged.

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## CREDIT UNION BANQUET

The second Annual meeting of the Raymond Sugar Maker's Savings & Credit Union was held on January 31, in the 2nd Ward Chapel. The meeting was preceded by a banquet at which 74 were served.

B. J. Merchant of Lethbridge was present and spoke briefly on Credit Union Work, he was accompanied by S. Beaudart. T. Geo. Wood also spoke briefly to those assembled.

A successful year was reported by Pres. J. Miller, who said that over \$9,000.00 had been loaned to members during the year and the share capital had reached the 4,000.00 mark.

Reports by C.O. Nalder, Manager and Treasurer showed that a total loan business of over \$12,000.00 had been carried out in the 20 months of the Credit Union's life and that \$200.00 had been invested in Victory Bonds.

Reports by L. B. Duncombe and S. C. N. Gray, who are the Chairmen of the Credit and Supervising Committees, showed the Credit Union to be on a healthy basis. A dividend of 6 p.c. was declared on all shares as of December 31st, 1941.

The election of officers resulted in J. Proctor and J. Blaskovits succeeding J. A. McLean and J. Kenney on the directorate; F. W. Leavitt succeeds J. Miller on the Credit Committee and Jos. Strong succeeds J. Van derhilt on the Supervising Committee.

The complete slate of officers are as follows:

J. Miller, President, with C. A. Finch, Vice-President. As directors: J. Miller, C. A. Finch, F. H. Turner, J. Proctor and J. Blaskovits.

Credit Committee: L. B. Duncombe, L. R. Paek and Frank W. Leavitt.

Supervisory Committee: S.C. N. Gray, John Landysheff and Jos. Strong.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Atwood were in Galloway, B.C. last week for the wedding of the second oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Nephi Atwood.

## NOBLESSE OBLIGE

The boy who helps a timid woman to cross a traffic artery, the automobile driver who waits for an elderly pedestrian who is caught in the change of traffic lights, the girl who is quick to pick up a parcel for a shopper with overloaded arms, the man who gives quick indication of willingness to step aside so that another may also have room on the sidewalk.

The driver who slows down so that a commuter may pass safely from the curb to the street-car he is trying to catch the trolley-car conductor who goes to the trouble to re-open his doors for a late-comer, the man-in-a-hurry who doesn't want a newspaper but still can remember to be gracious when telling the newsboy so—

People like these make one think Confucius did not speak quite in vain when advising us all to behave when out of doors as though "entertaining a distinguished guest." — Christian Science Monitor.



## The Spirit of The Pioneer Mother Flames Anew Today

THINK BACK to the old days—when Canada was young.

Think of the high courage, the indomitable will of those pioneer women. Within the stockade or in the open field, they toiled—yes, fought—by the side of their men for the safeguarding of everything they held dear.

In the hearts of the women of Canada, this old spirit flames anew today! Gone are the heavy muskets, the log barricades—but the love of freedom, the stubborn resolve to win through at all costs—these things remain unchanged, unchangeable!

Grimly quenching their tears, mothers say "God bless you" to their fighting sons—everywhere young women are serving where duty calls—the women of Canada are bound together in one common cause.

In thousands of Canadian homes, women are revising their family budgets, planning new economies, making extra sacrifices—so that more and more money will be available for the purchase of Victory Bonds.

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## WEEKLY LETTER

### 50 PER CENT. WILL FAIL?

The writer well remembers a teacher whose first words to his class were, "Fifty per cent of you will fail in this subject," and over fifty per cent did fail. Southern Alberta farmers for many years have been doing much better than fifty per cent in controlling soil drifting, but there are always a few who fail. Who will be the failures in 1942?

A few weeks ago this Weekly Letter cautioned farmers about the danger of soil drifting during the winter and at seeding time this spring. It is not too soon to think about summer-fallowing operations this coming season, especially for those fields that have a light stubble. Such fields have the makings for serious drifting if not carefully handled.

Fields that are covered with a heavy combine stubble may present no soil drifting problem. With reasonable care trash cover protection can be maintained on them by ploughless following. --However, many a

good stubble has been destroyed by careless use of the one-way disc and the common disc.

Fields that have only a light stubble cover require careful consideration in deciding each fallow operation. Many such fields except those with a sandy or loose top clay soil may be ploughless fallowed but care must be taken to keep on the surface all stubble and trash available. Two or three strokes will likely be sufficient to complete the fallow, one with the blade weeder or cultivator and one or two strokes with the rod weeder. If the cultivator is not run too fast and with the shovels flat, very little trash will be buried and by operating about four inches deep the rod weeder will do a good follow-up job. In some cases the trash cover may not be sufficient to provide adequate protection. Ploughing or listing would then be necessary as a final operation in late summer or fall.

Sandy and loose top clay soils are most difficult to handle from the point of view of soil drifting control. Cover crops have proved satisfactory where rainfall is sufficient to grow the cover crop without materially reducing the yield of the following grain crop. Listing has proved successful on all types of soil and is considered as one of the best emergency methods of controlling soil drifting.

Thought and care in summer-fallowing was never more in order than in 1942. Timeliness and elimination of unnecessary operations will save fuel, wear on machinery, and reduce operating costs, all important considerations in a country at war.

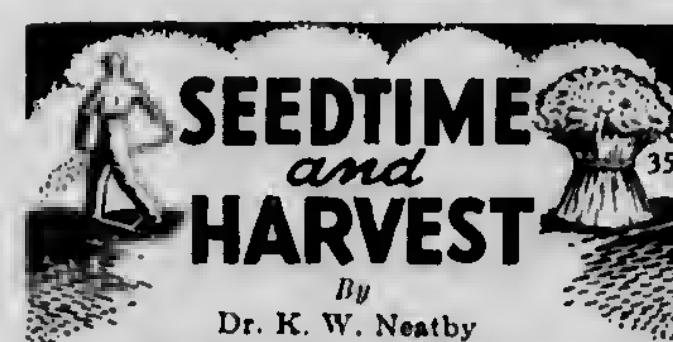
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Dr. K. W. Neatby  
Director, Agricultural Department  
North-West Line Elevators Association

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